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By The People

SAN NICOLAS CHRISTMAS EVENT

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SAN NICOLAS
FULL OF EVENTS



True Voice

SAN NICOLAS COMMUNITY PAPER



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San Nicolas Roundabout Light-up!.



Giovanni Abath from Curacao came over to Aruba, especially to design the Christmas Street Decoration. Himself, together with others that form part of the team, worked 3 to 4 days to put the decoration together, some days they worked until 2 to 3 AM. And at the end they all are satisfied with the finished product. Well Done Guys, Thumbs Up.



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San Nicolas Golden Ages Christmas Dinner!

X-Mas Dinner The Golden Ages Y.M.C.A.Thank you Arowakken Drum Band for a wonderful evening and also would like to thank Level-up brass band for the wonderful entertainment





post aruba Holiday Schedule

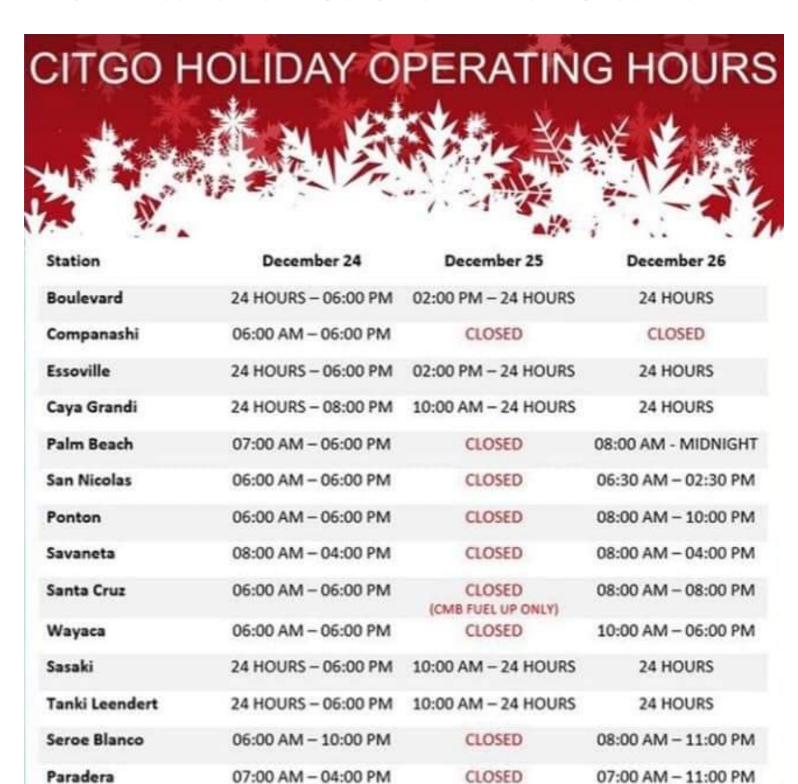
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December 31, 2019: cera pa inventario.

Januari 2 y 3, 2020: cera.



San Nicolas Don't Get Stuck Without Gasoline



"Bring it to us and we bring it to them"

It's about nine months back, that Mr Hernandez from the San Nicolas Business Ass. has warn us,the San Nicolas Community, the Government and the public in general. Mr Hernadez said: "Six stores min the main street of San Nicolas have threaten to close their doors, let us bring this to a stop". On November 29, 2019 Giordanos in the main street of San Nicolas closed their doors and they left San Nicolas. Many will ask themselves, WHY? Giordano's San Nicolas use to offer the San Nicolas community a certain brand, certain quality, same as they offer the Oranjestad community, no difference. Giordano's expenses to maintain the store in San Nicolas are on lower cost, 'cause the building belongs to the Giordano's owners. The answer is simple, we San Nicolas do not support San Nicolas. San Nicolas community prefer to leave San Nicolas, go to Giordano's in Oranjestad and buy the same product that they offer in San Nicolas.

Days go by that the San Nicolas merchant closes their doors with NO sale at all or sales that can even cover the basic daily cost.

Today the San Nicolas Business Community want to pleat to the San Nicolas Community, if you don't support us, we are obligated to

The main question is, the real threat was coming from six stores, how about the other five??

San Nicolas we are we and if we do not support we, who will?

We from the Unity in the Community Foundation support our local stores and we ask of you, our San Nicolas Community to do the same.

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[&]quot;Despues di nos ta nos mes"





San Nicolas Hosted Their First Goal-Keepers Event



When you hear Goal-Keepers Event, you automatically think soccer, but not this Goal-Keepers event, this was about more important goals like Climate & Environment, Education & Empowerment, Equality & Inclusion, this event was held to educate the youngsters of all thats going on in the world currently and their important role in this.







Jonny cake
and much more
Located at the parking lot
Carnaval Village

Rhythm & Cuisine Was Sold OUT!!!!!!

Rhythm and Cuisine is on at the Promenade of San Nicolas. Waw it is quite full. A good turn out. According to latest info received, there are 358 tickets sold.







FECHANAN PAGO DI PENSIOEN 2020

Pensioen di biehes (AOV) y pensioen di viudo y huerfano (AWW) lo keda paga durante aña 2020, riba e siguiente fechanan:

- pensioen di januari: 27 di december 2019
- pensioen di februari: 31 di januari 2020
- pensioen di maart: 28 di februari 2020
- pensioen di april: 1 di april 2020
- pensioen di mei: 30 di april 2020
- pensioen di juni: 1 di juni 2020
- pensioen di juli: 1 di juli 2020
- pensioen di augustus: 31 di juli 2020
- pensioen di september: 1 di september 2020
- pensioen di october: 1 di october 2020
- pensioen di november: 30 di october 2020
- pensioen di december mas bonus di Pasco: 1 di december 2020
- pensioen di januari 2021: 28 di december 2020



SEGURIDAD PA ARUBA SU COMUNIDAD

Programma Pasco di Nacemento Parokia Cristo Rey, Brazil

16 - 24 December 2019:

5 AM Misa di Aurora

Durante misanan di Aurora no tin celebracion eucaristico atardi

24 December 2019:

5AM Ultimo dia di Aurora

8PM Celebracion Solem di Nacemento di Senjor Hesu-Cristo

25 December: Pasco di Nacemento

10AM Misa di Pasco (Misa Mayor)

No tin misa atardi

26 December 2019: Di Dos Dia di Pasco

9AM Santa Misa

10AM Bautismo

27 December 2019:

7PM celebracion di santa misa

28 December 2019:

7PM celebracion di santa misa - santonan inocente

bendicion special pa muchanan

29 December 2019:

9AM-6PM celebracion di santa misa

30 December 2019:

7PM celebracion di santa misa.

31 December 2019:

7PM celebracion di santa misa.

1 January 2020: Anja Nobo

10AM Misa dedica na Santa Maria Mama di Dios



Catholic Church Holliday Church hours

16 - 24 December 2019:

Aurora Church service: 5 AM

24 December 2019:

Church Service at 10 PM

25 December 2019:

Kapel Emanual: 7 AM

Sta Teresita: 9 AM

26 December 2019:

SABA - Palesiaweg: 10 AM

31 December 2019:

Church Service at 10 PM

1 January 2020:

Mother Mary Mother of God: 6:30 PM











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Entering San Nicolas from the west, you'll be using the most known and if we are not mistaken,

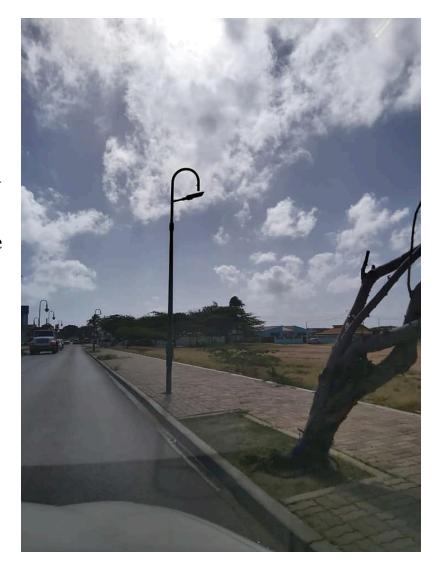
the longest road in San Nicolas, the Bernhardstraat. The road carrying this name begins just after

the Wescar Company, to be exact, it starts at the office of family physician dr. John van der

Linden and ends at the Lodge Building just after the Hong Kong Bar and Restaurant at the

crossing with the Dr Schaepmanstraat near the Essoville Citgo gasoline Station.

For the longest while a great part of this famous San Nicolas road has been in darkness, to be



exactly, between the Social Security Bank (SVB) and the WEMA Mall (Resedastraat). Our dear

friend Hilario Donker has been on this case over the past months.

We from Unity in the Community Foundation were very supportive to the work our San Nicolas

journalist was doing, knowing that he's very capable as he has already shown in different other

undertaken activities. The well-known San Nicolas politicians also let their voices been heard by

'their' minister and promises were made.

To our great surprise, the electricians from the public works (DOW) were super active last

Thursday and Friday, at last we all thought. We would love to encourage the San Nicolas

community to come out and observe and also let your voices be heard.



We the people of San Nicolas would like to see some street lantern light be install on the lantern

poles. We do not want to insult any one, but please. The lamp installed are dimmed household

bulbs that don't even give sufficient candlelight that one can't even observe the lanternpole.

Ministry of Infrastructure, Dienst Openbare Werken which ever department that is responsible

for the streetlights, please inform the San Nicolas community that these repairs and installed

light are temporary and that within a short period or within a reasonable time (maximum six

weeks) there will be a permanent solution.

Important to mention is, that these street lantern poles and lights dated from 1997/98 when the

Bernhardstraat was renovated, even the factory do not exist anymore.

We are convinced that the electricians from the public works didn't even took a evening drive to

control the quality that was installed.

Awaiting we remain.

"The light shineth in the darkness and the darkness comprehended it not"

Merry Christmas to Aruba in general and the Community of P'ariba di Brug specially.

Yes, San Nicolas Business Association again have achieved their goal, they lit the tallest

Christmas Tree on the island.

This year it was a great challenge due to the lack of funds and volunteers, but it's a reality.

On Friday December 20 Mr. Yuri Feliciano the latest member of the board had the honor to turn

on switch Nr. 2.

The board of San Nicolas Business Ass. would like to thank the community of San Nicolas by

putting their pressure to get the San Nicolas (Aruba tallest Christmas tree) tree lit.

Special thanks go to Caribbean (Community) Mercantile Bank for putting the necessary funds

available including the present boxes, SETAR for their support with a boom truck and a special



thanks to the Aruban Fire Department for the finishing touch with their 'snorkel' truck.

Without Volunteers there is no charity! To the volunteers of the San Nicolas Business

Association, thank you for a job well done.





San Nicolas Plastic Recycle Center

San Nicolas and P'ariba di Brug Community, Aruban community in general please consider this as a reminder. Now that we are in the festive days, we will be eating and drinking much that will be packed in plastic, toys that are packed in plastic, so on and so on. Please collect all the plastic and exchange it for your discount note, credit note or for product at the San Nicolas Recycle Plastic Center. Like mentioned before in other articles, Aruba in general, San Nicolas in particular can collect all plastic and bring them to the factory, all plastic and all amount are welcome. All will be weight and you'll receive Afls. 0,10 per kilo. You'll be surprised how fast you can collect a kilo of plastic. Schools, youth organizations, families, friends, environmentalist, all who'll love to see an Aruba clean of plastic, now there is a plastic collection entity on the Island and in San Nicolas. Start creating your plastic collection box at home, your plastic collection bag in the class room, plastic trash collector in the offices. All the empty plastic soft drink bottles, dishwashing, liquid detergent, to numerous to mentioned are becoming a valuable commodity.

Let you and I, all together create a plastic free Aruba and starting with a plastic free San Nicolas. A plastic free Aruba should be one of our resolution for 2020!